

Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER SON-1894 Art Unit Application No. Filing Date Examiner 09/652,150-Conf. #2607 August 31, 2000 N. D. Hernandez 2622 Applicant(s): Kazuhiro Hoshino et al. Invention: IMAGING ELEMENT, IMAGING DEVICE, CAMERA MODULE AND CAMERA SYSTEM TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Number Remaining Number Previously After **Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 20 50.00 0.00 17 0 Х Independent 0.00 2 0 200.00 8 = Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 **Small Entity** x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 18-0013 X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any gverpagment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: January 5, 2007 Ronald P. Kananen Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 24,104 RADER, FISHMAN & GRAUER PLLC 1233 20th Street, N.W. Suite 501 Washington, DC 20036 (202) 955-3750





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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.